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Applicant : Gebhard Döpper
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Title : Process For Cleaning An Article, Process For Coating An Article,
And Device Therefor

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

United States Patent No. 4,500,564 (Enomoto), dated February 19, 1985;

United States Patent No. 5,087,477 (Giggins, Jr. et al.), dated February 11, 1992;

United States Patent No. 5,238,752 (Duderstadt et al.), dated August 24, 1993;

German Patent DE 42 28 499 C1 (Grimm et al.), dated October 7, 1993, method and device for plasma based coating of structures;

German Patent DE 195 00 262 C1 (Vetter et al.), dated September 28, 1995, method for plasma treatment of parts;

British Patent Specification GB 1 447 754 (Harvey et al.), dated September 2, 1976,



British Patent Application GB 2 323 855 A (Matthews), dated October 7, 1998;

Japanese Patent Abstract JP 60 077 970 (Kanehiro), dated May 2, 1985;

International Publication WO 98/13531 (Beele et al.), dated April 2, 1998.

If no translation of pertinent portions of any foreign language patents or publications mentioned above is included with the aforementioned copies of those applications, patents and/or publications, it is because no existing translation is readily available to the applicant.

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